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## Annual Meeting of the Crossfield School District

The annual meeting of the Crossfield School District was held in the Fire Hall on Wednesday afternoon and a good turn-out of ratepayers were present.

The teachers' report was read and adopted as read.

The trustees report was then read. Moved by F. Stevens, seconded by H. McIntyre, that report be accepted as read. Carried.

The financial report was then read by Secretary Lewis, and after a lengthy discussion was adopted as read.

The next business was the election of a trustee for the ensuing three years. The chairman called the meeting to order, and declared the meeting open for nominations.

W. K. Gibson was nominated by A. Cruickshanks, seconded by Chris Asmussen, and as Mr. Gibson was the only nominee he was therefore elected for the 3 year term.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. Wm. Laut, retiring trustee, for good services rendered during her ten-year term of office.

Mrs. J. Harrison moved a vote of thanks to the trustees and secretary for the able manner in which school business had been conducted during the year.

F. Purvis, A. H. Miller and W. K. Gibson trustees along with Secretary Ivey Lewis will handle the affairs of School District during the coming year.

## Car and Truck Collide On Bridge Near Town

An accident occurred on Friday afternoon at the bridge at Sheep Camp Coulee, two miles north of town, when a large truck heavily loaded with merchandise, and operated by the Dench Cartage Co., of Calgary, and going north collided with a Ford coupe, driven by Mr. Irwin, a representative of the Calgary Alberto, and going south. It appears that the driver of the coupe was on the wrong side of the road, and in trying to swing out to miss the truck, could not get the rear wheels of his car out of the rut and the truck crashed into him; the truck turned completely around and after smashing several post and the railing on the approach to the bridge turned over. Both truck and car were badly smashed up, and how the occupants escaped injury is a mystery.

## Old Timers Round-Up On February 14th.

At a meeting of the Old Timers' Association on Saturday night, Jan. 4th, it was decided to hold the fourth annual Round-up in the U. F. A. hall on Friday, February 14th. The banquet will commence at 6 o'clock and will be followed by an entertainment and dance.

The Old Timers' are full of pep and are determined to make this year's get-together bigger and better than ever. All that is needed to accomplish this is for the Old Timers to make it appoint to be in Crossfield on the night of Feb. 14th.

Mrs. M. Thomas was appointed convener of the ladies committee and will have charge of the tables and flowers, etc.

## DR. LIESEMER IN CAR ACCIDENT

Dr. Liesemer was a victim in a car accident Wednesday afternoon while waiting for a car to pass on the highway, 5 miles south of town. A car driven by Mr. C. Ferguson of the Calgary Power Co. skidded and crashed into him. Dr. Liesemer's car was badly damaged; fortunately no one was injured.

## Crossfield Loses to Airdrie In Interesting Hockey Game

Crossfield Rangers lost to Airdrie here on Friday night in an evenly contested game. There was little to choose between the two teams, it was just a matter of who was to get that lucky break to win; and don't be surprised if Crossfield wins from Airdrie on their own duck pond in the near future.

The game was played on snow-covered ice for the first two periods which slowed the game up; the third period the ice was fast, and the best hockey of the game was played.

The locals went into the lead in the first period, when Jack Hall scored from the face-off with a hot shot that was in the net before McDowell knew what had happened. Crossfield had an edge on the play in the first period. The visitors tied the score in the second period, when Soper scored a lucky goal from the blue line, when his shot glanced off Bobby Smart's stick.

The teams battled evenly throughout the remainder of the period, both trying hard to score, but both sides were stopping them at the defense and the goalies turning shots aside with ease.

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## Burns' Nicht Banquet and Dance on Jan. 24

The tickets for the Burns' nicht banquet and dance are now on hand and it is to be hoped that every loyal Scot will be there in full force that night. There will be real Scots fare on the festive board and addresses to the Immortal Memory, Bonnie Jean, etc., after which will come the dance with old favorites. Flowers of Edinburgh, Pas de Quatre, etc. Tickets may be had from W. Innes, Carstairs; W. Scott, Airdrie; and in Crossfield from A. Cruickshanks, W. Russell, J. Chalmers, Rev. J. T. Adams Cooper.

## Sunday School Children Enjoy Annual Party

The children of the Church of the Ascension Sunday School held their annual party on the Feast of the Epiphany in the Masonic Hall. The evening was spent in games and community singing. Refreshments were served by the ladies of the Guild.

Miss Grace Williams presided at the piano. The party closed with the singing of the National Anthem and three lusty cheers for the Rector and Mrs. Sefton, the Sunday School superintendent.

## Mayor Williams Goes To The Rescue

Mayor Williams heard that John Hagstrom was about to freeze-up sitting beside his stove, so he went down to investigate and found John sitting alongside the stove, shivering himself into a sweat. Jim started pulling down stove pipes and to his astonishment found that some of the stove pipes leading out of the building had actually frozen up and were so full of ice that there was not enough room to get your finger in. That's one for Ripley's believe it or not strip; but nevertheless is an absolute fact. At any rate Jim soon had some new pipe up and after sending down some coal and groceries, life again looked a little better for John; who no doubt, believes that the village fathers are playing the roll of Santa Claus, although perhaps a little late in the season, but like giving money from home for John.

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## PRE-INVENTORY SALE

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Men's Fleece Lined Combinations, suit	1.50
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**TEA**

**'Fresh from the gardens'**

Western Canada's Air Mail

Early in this new year of 1930 there will be inaugurated Canada's first all night air mail route, thus marking another advance in the Dominion's postal service. Western Canada enjoys the distinction of being the scene of this great undertaking which will at the outset embrace all three of the prairie provinces.

This night air mail will have Winnipeg as its eastern terminus, and Calgary as the western terminus, while Regina will be the central divisional point where the planes will meet and transfer mails, passengers, and air express. From Regina also, at a later date, will start the night air mail for Edmonton via Saskatoon and North Battleford, and at the Saskatchewan capital the Edmonton planes will make connections with those from the east and west.

Citizens of Regina are fully alive to the importance of this development, and at the recent municipal elections overwhelmingly approved of a money bylaw providing for the expenditure of \$100,000 on the municipal air harbor. This is by far the largest sum yet appropriated by any western city for the establishment of terminals for the latest of all transportation systems, but, whatever the people of other centres may think about it, the citizens of Regina are convinced of the future of the air transportation.

The municipal airport at Regina is being laid out on a big scale and in a comprehensive manner under the direction of experts. A large block of land has been set aside for the purpose, streets running through it, closed runways for the taking off and landing of planes from various points of the compass constructed, airdromes built, workshops and filling stations are being provided, telephone connections established, a continual weather report service arranged for, and the whole field brilliantly lighted. Motor taxi services from the airport to the railway station, post office and city hotels will be in operation.

At Regina 'planes will arrive from Winnipeg, Calgary and Edmonton nightly, and from Regina other 'planes will take off for all three cities. Already efforts are being put forth to secure the establishment of a fourth service from Regina to the nearest point in the United States on Uncle Sam's air mail routes, so as to provide for rapid communication with all United States points in the Western and Pacific coast states.

In order to make night flying safe and successful, the air routes to be followed must be illuminated, and the post office department has erected beacons at intervals of twenty-five miles all the way from Winnipeg to Calgary, and in a few months similar beacons will stretch from Regina to Saskatoon and on to Edmonton. A writer in an Eastern paper thus describes what a passenger on a night air mail 'plane will experience, starting from Winnipeg:

"From an issue, behind the lights of the Winnipeg airport, then the blinding highways of the city, you see below darkness, broken here and there by the glimmer of small settlements and suburbs of the city. As the 'plane climbs higher, you become aware of crawling animals below, their two small eyes classed as automobiles, and you know that below lies one of the provincial highways. A few minutes out of the lighted district, and far ahead a peculiar light blinks. You watch it carefully, draw nearer to it, and see that it is a revolving light, a beacon, turned upwards. Somewhere below it in the darkness another colored light winks at you. That is the marking on the beacon. It tells the pilot where he is on the course. You pass the light, look back and see that it goes on winking. Then a little later another light blinks at you. If you ask the pilot he will tell you that these are the first light beacons on a Canadian airway, that they are of two million beam candle power and revolve six times a minute. They are the aerial lighthouses."

"Towns pass below, their lights marking them, and with the aid of the map which the pilot has given you, it is not difficult, if you are watchful, to know where you are. The pilot explains the marking signals on the beacons and you can follow the course yourself."

And so on, passing over the Parliament Buildings to land at Regina's modern airport, where a scene of activity will be found to prevail as passengers alight, mails are unloaded or transferred for Calgary or Edmonton and intermediate points, the 'planes are refueled, and with but a short delay are zooming their way to their several destinations.

Undoubtedly, the inauguration of this all night air mail service in Western Canada, and the enormous saving in time effected in the delivery of important mail matter, will be one of the outstanding events of 1930, the forerunner of night flying air mail 'planes all over the Dominion.

**Useful Things To Know**

Always dry umbrellas "Open" and never keep them tightly rolled up, as this helps to cut the cover in the seams.

When through constant wear, the edges of rugs or carpets turn over and curl, boiling water should be poured on the turned edge which can then be pressed down to the floor. This treatment is said to lengthen the service of the material also.

To clean egg stains from spoons, first rub them with a little salt, then wash them in soap and water and dry with a soft cloth.

Glasgow, Scotland, is the second largest city in Great Britain.

**Shipment Of Live Mink**

The largest shipment of live mink ever sent from St. John, N.B., and perhaps from any other Canadian port—to Europe left on the S.S. Montcalm, for Germany, December 12th. There were 240 animals in all, two-thirds of which were males. Ninety-six silver foxes from Prince Edward Island also were conveyed on the same vessel.

From 40 to 50 feet a day is rated as a fair distance in digging a tunnel through a mountain.

A man is sane morally, at thirty, rich mentally at forty, wise spiritually at fifty, or never.



## When Pain Comes

What many people call indigestion very often means excess acid in the stomach. The stomach nerves have been overstimulated, and food sometimes correctly is described as a catalyst to excess acid. And the best alkali known to medical science is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. It has relieved millions of stomach complaints in the 50 years since its invention. One spoonful of this harmless,

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Be sure to get the genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia prescribed by your physician, containing the correct amount of magnesium hydroxide.

**Mountain Climbing in the Selkirks**

**Playground In Selkirk Mountains Is the Home of Solitude**

Glacier National Park in British Columbia, is the only national park wholly inaccessible to the ubiquitous motor car. Transcontinental trains pass through its central valley two or three times daily, but otherwise this playground in the Selkirk mountains is the home of solitude. Excellent trails, however, lead to its principal scenic features, and there are numerous opportunities for Alpine expeditions. Swiss guides are stationed in Glacier Park throughout the season. Rogers peak (10,538 feet) is a good climb for beginners, as is also Mount Sir Donald, named after the late Lord Strathcona.

**RHEUMATIC VICTIMS**

**Can Find Relief Through Building Up the Blood**

Pain is the symptom of rheumatism, that every victim recognizes, and he generally attributes the trouble to cold, damp, changeable weather. Few doctors know that there is a marked characteristic of the trouble. Trying to cure rheumatism while the blood remains thin and poor, is an impossible task. The blood must be built up to build on. A tonic like Dr. Williams' Pink Pills that enriches the blood and frees it from poisonous impurities, is the best remedy to be had from the system. So long as the blood is maintained in a healthy condition the trouble will not return. This is the secret of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. It has been proved in hundreds of cases here, as in Mr. J. W. Ross, R.R. 2, Albany, P.E.I. says: "For some years I was a great sufferer from rheumatism, and although I tried a great many remedies, I did not get any permanent relief until after I took Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I am now in full health, and my shoulders, which at times was so bad that my right arm was almost useless. Of course I suffered pain and great inconvenience. My attention was directed to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through an advertisement in our newspaper, and I decided to try them. I took the pills according to directions, and the result that the rheumatism has left me, and I have never had a twinge of it since. If this meets the eye of any medical profession, I would like to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at once."

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**North American Fish**

**U.S. Bureau of Fisheries Ships Nineteen Varieties of Fish For Breeding Purposes**

The North American continent, says the National Geographic Society, Washington, has four times as many varieties of fish as Europe. In the last five years the United States Bureau of Fisheries has been breeding stock of 19 varieties to foreign countries, some of them having been found to thrive even better in their new element than in their native waters. From Argentina came word that "American trout and bass have thrived so well that there are too many of them."

**Will Subscribe To Memorial**

**German Sub Engineer Promises Aid For Welland Project**

Many touching incidents have been recorded in the drive for funds in the Welland-Crowland War Memorial campaign, but none as sincere as the promise of support from Fred Zalud, who conducts a small hardware business in the market line, at Welland. On Mr. Zalud served as submarine engineer with the German navy during the critical period of the world war on the North Sea and Atlantic Ocean, and is wholeheartedly behind the memorial project.

**Cuts and Bruises Disappear**—When suffering from cuts, scratches, bruises, sprains, sore throat or chest and similar complaints, use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Its healing power is well-known in every section of the community. A bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil should be in every medicine chest ready for the emergencies that may always be anticipated.

**Living quarters have been established 450 feet above the ground, in the dome of St. Peter's Cathedral, in Rome, for workmen permanently employed to keep the building in repair.**

The great lady emerged from Buckingham Palace, called a taxi and shouted "King's Cross." "Sorry, Madama," replied the taxi-driver, "what's annoyed him?"

No man or woman should hobbles about because of corn or warts when a certain relief is at hand as Hollway's Corn Remover.

**Scotland and Belgium are the two European countries in which the accordion, which celebrated its centenary this year, are most popular.**

**Cocanuts are the chief money crop of the people of Guam.**

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**Law May Be Changed**

**Canadian Married Women's Nationality Status To Be Discussed**

The Montreal Gazette publishes the following dispatch from Ottawa: "The Canadian government's position in relation to the law of nationality is still in the lap of the imperial conference and until equality of status within the Empire has become more completely a fact, married women in this Dominion will continue to be subjected to certain disability in regard to nationality."

"They have a friend in court, though, for this whole tangled question, which some time ago was the subject of more than one debate in the House of Commons, was given careful consideration at the recent Conference on Dominion legislation in London, and the matter, it is understood, was reported on at considerable length."

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**Pains Around Heart**

**Weak Spells**

**Would Fall Over**

Mr. James Vanalstine, Pbroch, M.R.C. writes: "I had pain in my heart and was advised with weak smothering spells. Sometimes I would fall over and would have to be picked up and put to bed."

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**New Technical School**

**To Be Erected In Saskatoon At a Cost Of \$500,000**

Saskatoon's new technical school, to be erected at a cost of approximately \$500,000, will be built on Spadina Crescent, in the eastern part of the city. The site has been selected and the present meeting necessary property, west of the Armories, will be acquired for approximately \$68,000.

The cost of the technical school is to be divided between the city, provincial and federal governments. The city's share is \$250,000, approved in a recent bylaw, and the two governments will contribute \$125,000 each.

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**Minard's for the Ideal Rubdown.**

**Girls who work in Japanese mills receive, on average, the equivalent of \$15 a month in wages.**

**Canadian Doctor**

**Acclaimed By U.S.**

**Child Mind Concern Of Dr. W. E. Blatz, Mental Hygienist**

In at least one department of Mental Hygiene, Canada is admittedly leader on this continent.

Very quietly, during the past few days, leaders in child study in the United States gathered in Toronto to investigate the methods of Dr. W. E. Blatz, professor of psychology, of the University of Toronto, whose study of the mental hygiene of children has in the words of a well-known psychiatrist, "taken him out of the laboratory and into the home and school."

Representatives of such outstanding organizations as the Laura Spelman Memorial Fund, the Julius Rosenwald and McCormick Foundations of Chicago, and the University of Chicago, conferred here with Dr. Blatz, carefully examined his methods, expressed unanimous approval and stated their intentions of encouraging the adoption of those methods in American cities.

The superiority of Dr. Blatz's methods lies in the fact that he works with living material, rather than with theories. For six years he has catalogued and cross-indexed the seemingly insignificant vagaries of pupils at a certain public school in Toronto, and plans to follow these pupils through high school and the University, into the workaday world, gathering material as they go, which may be of value to students of the mind.

**To Hold Reunion**  
**Ex-Students Of Manitoba Agricultural College Will Meet At Regina**

Ex-students of the graduate of Manitoba Agricultural College now residing in Saskatchewan are planning to hold a reunion in Regina about the end of February, probably at the end of the week, during which the meetings of the Western Canada Livestock Union takes place. Details in connection with the reunion are in the hands of an executive consisting of M. J. McPhail, Mrs. Isabel Robson, Ruby Creelock, Cliff Dempsey and W. W. Thomson. It is hoped that a large number of M.A.C. ex-students will make it convenient to attend the Regina reunion which has developed into an annual event. Write M. J. McPhail, ex-student of Livestock Branch, Department of Agriculture, Regina, for details.

**Records For Trees**

The fastest-growing tree is the eucalyptus which grows five times faster than any other tree. The lightest tree is the ambach tree of the Nile. The oldest tree is the "bald cypress" which has been standing at Santa Maria del Tule, Mexico, for at least 6,000 years. The tallest tree of California's big trees is 325 feet in height but the tallest trees in the world are found in southeast Australia, gun trees 71 to 500 feet in height.

It is estimated that on the average 23 new buildings are completed and six torn down every day in New York City.

In Bath, England, water is still flowing through the lead pipes that were used in Roman times.



**Additions To Canadian Navy**

Royal Canadian Navy Strength To Be Increased By Two New Destroyers

The navy now has 1,880 officers and men. The new destroyers will add 1,000 to the strength of the Royal Canadian Navy volunteer reserve, at the end of the fiscal year ended March 31, 1928, according to figures published in the annual report issued by the Department of National Defence.

The total strength of the navy during the year was 94 officers and 616 men. The strength of the Royal Canadian Navy volunteer reserve, at the end of the fiscal year had a strength of 62 officers and 795 men.

The placing of contracts for the construction of two new destroyers also makes a definite advance as heretofore no new ships have been commissioned for service in the Royal Canadian Navy.

The report mentions elsewhere, that the cost of these two new ships the Saguenay and the Skeena, which are to be delivered in 1931, will be \$3,350,000, including armament.

**Driver Asthma Before It**  
The smoke or vapor from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy gives asthma patients relief to sufferer. One experiment with this asthma remedy shows how actual and positive is the succor it gives. It is the result of long study and experiment until it was submitted to the public until its makers knew it would do its work well.

The story of writing may be traced back to the Egyptian hieroglyphics through the Roman and Phoenician alphabets.

Thackeray lifted his hat every time he passed the house in which he wrote "Vanity Fair."

**Deaf Hear Again Through New Aid**

**Earpiece No Bigger Than Dime Wins Enthusiastic Following Ten-Day Free Trial Offer**

After twenty-five years devoted exclusively to the manufacture of scientific hearing aids, the Acousticon Co., 2046, 45 Richmond St. West, Toronto, Ont., has developed a new device which represents the greatest advance in the field. The latest Acousticon is featured by Dr. Guy Carnegie, a noted surgeon, as being the most compact and delicate instrument to submit to the ear. It makes it easier and healthful for the person who is hard of hearing to hear for an hour or two hours at a time. Write to the manufacturer for an earpiece trial for an hour or two hours. The maker offers a money-back guarantee.

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## Canadian Art Shows Distinctive Character In Notable Collection Of National Gallery of Canada

An accession of 20 new pictures to the National Gallery of Canada, the most important group acquired at any time for any collection on this continent, has featured the general activities of that body for the past year. The various schools of ancient and modern art are represented, to a much more substantial degree than heretofore, with the old masters retaining a prideful place among the enterprising and robust generation of artists whose vigor and daring have contributed distinctive character to Canadian art.

The most recent development of a similar nature will be displayed when, on January 23, His Excellency the Governor-General formally opens the Canadian Exhibition at the National Gallery.

It is expected that this will be the most representative ever held in Canada, since new arrangements have now been made for the assembling of pictures. Some complaints were voiced in the House of Commons last session to the effect that in those annual displays the painters of the central provinces appeared to have entirely crowded out those from the east and west coasts, and the opinion was expressed that this might be due to prejudices on the part of those responsible. In order to obviate any such charge, the trustees have completed a scheme whereby outstanding artists of the various cities in Canada may constitute themselves advisory committees and recommend to the trustees the works of local painters. This has had the effect of bringing to light artists of hitherto unknown merit, and of assembling a collection representative of Canadian art from Halifax, N.S., to Victoria, B.C.

Modern art, however, is to be considered for the National Gallery in the near future. For some considerable time the inadequacy of the present building, which is shared with the Victoria museum and the Department of Mines, has forced itself upon the government. The restricted quarters have made it impossible for the gallery to exhibit all its treasures, and thus deprived the people of their right to enjoy their possessions. To this post war generation the most unfortunate element in this is the fact that the Canadian war memorial pictures have been forced from the gallery's walls and are now stored in the basement.

This collection, valued at over \$1,000,000 and which could not under any circumstances whatever be replaced, was acquired during the war by Lord Beaverbrook's war memorial committee. The paintings depict every phase of Canadian war activity, and many outstanding battles fought by the Canadian Corps have been translated on canvas. Portraits of Canadian soldiers, Victoria Cross heroes, and well-known officers are among the collection.

Modern art, the caliber of Sir William Orpen, Augustus John, A. J. Munro, A. Y. Jackson, Cyril Barraud and scores of others contributed to this immense group, which numbers over 1,000 pieces. Some old masters are also included—works by Romney, Lawrence, West and Reynolds. The entire collection was given to the Canadian people nine years ago, but due to lack of room it cannot be exhibited.

A Pearl Among Collar Buttons

Mr. Chancy Randle Watson was 17 years old, he was given a shiny gold collar button for his birthday. He recently observed his 49th birthday still wearing the same shiny gold collar button. He has worn the button continually for 32 years and not even once has it been mislaid, he solemnly declares.

A man never really gets an accurate estimate of himself until he wants to borrow his neighbor's lawn mower.



W. N. U. 1819

### Saskatchewan Fisheries

Total Value Of Catch More Than Half A Million Annually

The fact that Saskatchewan fishermen run to a total value of more than \$500,000 annually is of particular interest, in view of the negotiations now pending the return of the natural resources of Lake of the Woods, the greater part of which is in Saskatchewan, are not included. For some reason federal authorities in making their reports, give Alberta credit for all the fish caught in that lake, and the value in 1928, the last year for which figures are available, was \$256,000. Cold Lake is another for which Alberta gets full credit, but in that case the greater part of the lake is in Alberta, and the total catch is light.

The varieties of fish caught commercially in the province are gold-eyes, herrings, mixed fish, pickerel, pike, sturgeon, millets, trout (laked), bullhead and whitefish, the latter having a market value of \$439,075.

### Winnipeg Newspaper Union



(By Annabelle Worthington.)



3115

A simple daytime model in Princess suggestion with panels over hips and a touch of the faint emerging into circular fulness at her create panel at front to lengthen its line.

The collarless neckline shows chic to the advantage in cascading fabric. Sleeves are fitted with bows below the elbows.

It is completely lined in navy blue wool crepe so entirely serviceable for all-around occasions.

It's an opportunity to have a snap dress that can be made at a very small outlay.

Style No. 3115 is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28 and 42 inches bust.

In tweed with navy blue wool crepe in new feather weight with matching shade bone buttons at neckline, it is designed for all-around wear.

Mid-night blue crepe marocain with green piping at neckline and edge of jacket is strikingly smart and will be a hit.

Dark brown canton crepe with self-fabric piping is extremely fashionable.

In lustrous crepe satin in black, it is unusually distinctive with the gold and piping cut from the self fabric.

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### Going Home On Prize Money

British Boy Successful In Competition, Likes Outlook In Canada

Just to offset the stories of British farm laborers who have become so dissatisfied as a result of their experiences here, that they are demanding deportation the case of Tom Pearson may be cited. Pearson, a stocky-built 16-year-old Yorkshire lad, arrived in Peterboro, Ontario, five months ago, and secured a job with a farmer. His wages were \$13 a month and board. There must have been luck in that "13" for Tom. Anyway he has sailed for England to pay a surprise visit to his father, and spend the winter in his old home. And when he sailed he had in the neighborhood of \$12,000.

Of course he didn't make that much farming, although as a matter of fact he has saved all but a dollar or two of his wages. Tom's little pot of gold came from using his brains. Particulars of a competition conducted by a Toronto firm in which the contestants were to work out a slogan from the puzzle presented as a brain twister, were brought to the attention of the young farm boy, and he decided to enter. A few days ago he received notice that he had been successful in winning the first prize of \$1,000.

So he has gone home for the winter to see his relatives and tell them of the land of opportunity out here. Tom is coming back in the spring; there may be other prizes to win—and anyway he likes the outlook in Canada.

### Tips For The Housewife

Some Measures Which Will Come In Handy

Here are some tips that the housewife should clip and put away in a safe place. Many a time they will come in very useful:

Three teaspoons equal one tablespoon, and sixteen tablespoons equal one cup.

When following recipes, make your teaspoons and tablespoons level. When heaped, you may use twice the amount the recipe intended and spoil an otherwise excellent cake or pie.

Too much flour will make cake dry and crumbly, bread heavy, sauce thick.

Too much fat will make cakes oily and may cause them to fall.

Too much liquid makes cake that will fall easily.

### Batter Imports

Imports Of Butter Into Canada Doubled In Past Year

Butter imports into Canada doubled in the twelve months ending November 30. The figure for the period was \$11,24,000 as against \$5,567,000 in the preceding twelve months. Other imports of milk products remained about the same, bringing the aggregate value of \$12,150,000.

In November alone, butter imports were up to \$1,065,000 from \$667,000 in the previous month. Figures were made available at the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa.

The journal asserts that "to intimates" was said in numerous interviews, editorials and other publicity relative to this discovery, that the way is now clear for vaccine or antitoxin or any other specific method of treating influenza is to go far beyond the actual evidence provided by this bacteriological research.

Broadcasting Time Signals

Wireless time signals emanating from the Dominion Observatory, Ottawa, are broadcast daily, except Sunday, through the radio station CNR from 2:57 to 3 p.m., on a wave-length of 500 meters. Signals are also sent directly from the observatory station VENOB from 2:55 to 3 p.m., and a wave-length of 40.8 meters.

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### DOG DERBY CHAMPION



Emil St. Godard, 24-year-old French-Canadian dog derby champion, hopes to meet Leonard Seppala, Alaskan musher, in the 200-mile non-stop marathon being staged at The Pas next March. St. Godard, who has won the race for the past five years, is seen with some of his dogs. The black one is Toby, his aged, but still famous leader.—(S.N.S.)

### Province Developing Resources

Saskatchewan Clay, Coal and Chemical Deposits Being Exploited

The past year has been a busy one for the manufacture of clay products in Saskatchewan according to Professor W. G. Worcester, of the Ceramics Department of the University of Saskatchewan.

A new plant has been started at Prince Albert during the past year for the manufacture of common brick and a plant at Estevan for terra-cotta and door and wall tile. The company at Estevan has built an additional plant for the manufacture of hollow building tile.

There has been greater development during 1929 of the mineral resources of Saskatchewan than in any previous year," Prof. Worcester claims. "More than 100 lakes in the province have large deposits of sodium sulphate. At Englebright a depth of 150 feet has been drilled with bottom coming to the bottom of the deposit. This chemical is now being used in metallurgical work and the Saskatchewan deposits are beginning to have a value as they are unusually pure. One firm in Canada is at present using 25,000 tons of sulphur a year from their plant near Ormiston.

"During the year the experimental briquetting plant at Estevan passed into commercial hands and is now shipping out 100 tons per day. A new process of carbonizing the lignite promises to be of great benefit to the Saskatchewan deposits."

### Officers Elected

Canadian Sheep Breeders' Association Elect Directors For 1930

Mr. R. W. Wade, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Sheep Breeders' Association, announces that the mail ballot, closed December 15th, electing directors for the Maritimes, Manitoba, Alberta and British Columbia, resulted as follows:—Maritimes, Ronald Chisholm, Antigonish, N.S.; Manitoba, George Gordon, Oak Lake, Man.; Alberta, John Wilson, Sr., Innisfail; Alberta, John Wilson, Jr., Innisfail; Alberta; and George R. Ball, No. 2, Strathcona, Alberta; British Columbia, Mr. Frank Hart, R.R. No. 2, Steveston, B.C. The directors for Ontario and Quebec will be elected at the provincial annual meeting of the Association, taking place in February, and for Saskatchewan, at the annual meeting of the Canadian Association, in March.

### Claim Is Disputed

Isolation Of Flu Germ Not Yet Accomplished, Says Medical Journal

Publishing the preliminary report of Dr. I. S. Falk, on his isolation of the influenza germ, the Journal of the American Medical Association says that while Dr. Falk's work is of great interest, it does not warrant the claim that he has isolated the influenza virus.

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### BIG PLANT FOR CALGARY

Excavation for the foundation of the Canada Gypsum and Alabastine, Ltd., plant in East Calgary, will be started at once, according to Mr. W. E. Armstrong, of Winnipeg, general manager of the company.

Airplanes have been used to carry food to starving game birds and animals in the west.

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## Opinion Favors Movement To Be Made To Settle Arable Lands In H. B. Railway Area

### Pacific Coast Hemlock

Will Be Important Commercial Tree Of The Future In Opinion Of Lumberman

The important commercial tree of the Pacific Northwest in future years will be the hemlock. The day of the Douglas fir and the cedar, giant trees of the forests, is passing according to the Pacific Coast logging concern interested in Vancouver.

"The big stands of timber in this district are slowly going," said Mr. Vinnedge. "Each year we witness logging operators cutting their last tree and going out of business. One of the outstanding phases of the problem is the outstanding hemlock content in our remaining timber stands. As our timber line recedes higher up the mountain slopes the percentage of this species increases.

"Hemlock will be our Cinderella wood, I believe. It has been despised for years chiefly because it is not the most marketable and marketable timber in the world.

"During the year the Hemlock will be more and more popular and will be glorified and given a commanding position which its inherent worth justifies.

"This is going to result in a revolution in our logging methods and the abandonment of the destructive and much criticized high lead methods. It will mean scrapping much of our saw-mill machinery at present in use. But the change, I believe, will be worth it."

### Cheaper In England

Reason Bread Made From Canadian Flour Sells For Less

According to the market report, they are selling bread in Old London, at about the same price as we pay for flour. And a good deal of the flour is in bulk and is being brought to the markets of the world, the United States.

One broad would wonder that the price of bread there would be higher than it is here, but flour is not the only factor that has an influence on fixing the price. There are wages, rent, patronage and the various commodities besides flour that go into the making of a loaf of bread. But Christmas cakes, plum puddings, cakes of all kinds and pies are cheaper in England than they are here.

The clay belt contiguous to the Bay

line is an extension of the Ontario belt, says a recent report of the Federal Department of Agriculture.

Last summer, an expert agriculturist of the experimental farms branch, made a survey of the territory between Hudson Bay Junction, Sask., and Mile 445 of the Bay Railway.

In a summary of his tour, he said: "From Mile 137 to 327 the line passes through the clay belt and there is much good soil not hampered by rock, that once covered the clay belt, will make a good agricultural territory.

Most of the mining people think a person is insane who appears in the north country to seek agricultural possibilities. Notwithstanding this lack of faith, I am convinced that when this territory is needed for settlement, the possibilities are there."

And dairy farming is another industry that would flourish in the north country. Of course, it will naturally follow land settlement.

Wooded terrain predominates from Hudson Bay Junction to The Pas. And heavy timber continues to Cormorant, Mile 42, and on to The Pas. There are also some outcroppings of red sandstone.

Gardens are numerous at Cormorant, however, and trial plots of wheat, oats and barley were ripe on August 25, when the agriculturist inspected them. Wheat samples included Garnet, Reward, Ceres, Marquis, and Minden. The stands were from 40 to 48 inches in height. Alaska, Gopher, Banner and Victory were included in the oats samples.

At Mile 214, George Cowan boasts a good flower and vegetable garden. The touring agriculturist was surprised at the flourishing fruit trees. The crab apple and the plum trees were in full bloom, and a good crop of berries was harvested. The potato yield was again splendid, and Garnet, Reward and Ceres wheats grew well. Oats and barley were more than satisfactory.

Two homesteads are established at Mile 214. Garden plots are good, but conclusions as to general soil fertility cannot be reached until next year. Mile 237 produced a bumper crop of vegetables, including lettuce, onions, peas, beets and potatoes.

Vegetables prospered at Mile 327 this season.

General farming has not been attempted beyond Mile 237, but once settlement is under way the march of the agricultural frontiers northward will progress on its own momentum.

One of the fastest known birds is the spangled swift, which reaches the speed of 220 miles an hour over the mountains of Asia.

WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

France's 1930 naval budget calls for the construction of one cruiser, six destroyers and six submarines. These projects were adopted by the Chamber of Deputies.

Prussia is indulging in more dry-ice. The airships at Koln, ten miles north of Jerusalem, is being enlarged. Twenty dunams of land have been acquired for the purpose.

The past year has been a busy one for the manufacture of clay products in Saskatchewan, according to Professor W. G. Worcester, of the ceramics department, of the University of Saskatchewan.

Resident in Edmonton for 60 years, and one of Western Canada's earliest pioneers, Mrs. Kenneth McDonald died there at the age of 101 years. She was born at Cumberland House, Sask., on May 27, 1827.

The Arctic Society has issued a statement that the projected North Pole expedition in the dirigible Graf Zeppelin has been called off for 1930, but that it is fully expected the flight will be made in 1931.

Fire, believed to have been caused by a defective fuse, destroyed the government radio station at Victoria, B.C. A small amount of equipment was saved and communication again established with St. Michaels, about 250 miles away.

Convinced that there is no hope of finding alive Pilot W. C. Cannon and Mechanic George Lizzette, employees of the Curtis-Reid Aircraft Co., lost in Northern Quebec for nearly three months, the National Defence Department ordered the detachment of five Canadian Air Force planes to abandon the search.

## Logging In Northern Alberta Is Slack

Lumber Carried Over From Last Year Slows Up Work

Logging will be slack in northern Alberta this winter and there will not be the usual stir at the lumber camps. According to the manager of one lumber company, not more than 25 per cent of the ordinary winter's logging will be done this coming season. The chief reason given for this is the enormous carry-over of lumber from last season.

This carry-over is due in large measure to the dry summer and consequent reduction in the wheat yield. The lumber business was dull all summer as a result of a drought affecting the farmers' building operations, many farmers having cancelled their plans for new buildings when the crops began to show the full effects of the dry summer.

Besides that there was a much smaller program of house-building in the country last fall in which there was a record year. One big lumber firm states that its carry-over is 15,000,000 feet, the largest in the company's history.

## Ideal Air Port

City Of Moose Jaw Claims To Have One Of The Ideal Airports Of The World

The Moose Jaw Board of Trade claims for its city the possession of one of the ideal airports of the world. It points out that the soil of the field is black loam with gravel subsoil, therefore free from the conditions which invariably obtain after heavy rains. The field has a natural drainage, is virgin prairie, absolutely even, and is an ideal, all-weather site. No gnawires are possible and large, heavily loaded machines experience no difficulty in taking off at any season.

## Manitoba Fox Breeders

In competition with entries from all parts of Canada and the United States, Manitoba fox breeders took most of the awards at the recent Western Canada International silver fox show.

Only two flowering plants occur on the Antarctic plateau, and these are rare.



"You don't know why the English fought at Waterloo?"

"No, dad won't let me go out to look at fights," - Pages Gaies, Yverdon.

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## Playing Safe

## Automobilist Took No Chances With Train When His Car Stalled On Crossing

There is a man in Western Ontario who has lived up to his teaching. Always he decried that if ever his car stalled on a railway track, with a train approaching he would waste no time on the car, but would make for safety. "I can buy another car, but I can't buy another chance after I'm dead," he said. A couple of weeks ago he bought a new car and took it for a run. Crossing a railway track it gave a cough and quit. A train was approaching from a distance. People told him he had time to get her going, but this brave chap got out and walked to the side of the road. The new car was reduced to matchwood. Some people said he was a fool, but he was a wise one. He had insured his car and was taking no chances. He left the debris to the railway wrecker and put in a claim to the insurance company. He is still safe and sound and his wife is not a widow. - Regine Leader.

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(By Annebelle Worthington.)



5075.

The deep pointed effect of hipline is outstandingly smart in all-day dress of printed Rayon crepe in redish tones, so charmingly youthful.

The collar and cuffs are of white crepe, the collar being embroidered in Dahlia shade around edge, a new note of Paris. They are also very smart in white plique.

The narrow shoulder pin inverted tucks. The molded bodice assures desired sleekness to wearer. The skirt starts to flare well below the waist with graceful fluttering fullness at hem.

Style No. 3075 can be had in sizes 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32 and 42 inches.

It makes up attractively in sheer woolens in tweed in new bright colors, and coverlet, plain or self-colored, in cotton, white, crepe, and cashmere printed wool jersey.

It also adapts itself lovely to the simple skirt in fine crepe, crepe de chine and faille.

In black crepe satin it suits every demands for the socially busy woman. It may be made in the fullness of the day, or in the bustle, the contrasting shade as jade green, chartreuse, lemon-yellow or white.

Printed shoulder pin with cotton collar and cuffs is smart.

In plain transparent velvet with collar and cuffs of lace or metal cloth is also very smart, either in black, bottle green or Independence blue.

Pattern price 25 cents.

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# SAYS OUTLOOK IN THE WEST IS ENCOURAGING

Toronto.—"Western Canada has suffered a severe setback through the light crops harvested in the past year, and the lowest crop in yield, although the highest in quality since 1924," says Mr. J. G. McPhail, president of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool, in a statement published in the annual financial review of The Globe. "We may as well admit the fact and make the best of the situation as the farmers and business men of the west are doing," says Mr. McPhail.

Nevertheless, the wheat pool head states, "the outlook and feeling throughout the country is much more encouraging than that existing in 1922 and 1923. Mr. McPhail outlines in his statement the change that has been effected in the western farmer's outlook by increased mechanization of his work and by co-operation with the pool. The present decreased movement of crop to market has not been to blame for the slowing down of business. He says that the grain movement "has not been far from normal."

"A total wheat crop for western Canada of 272,000,000 bushels, of which at least 50,000,000 bushels will be required for feed and seed—with even poorer returns for coarse grains—means a substantial drop in the annual income, even after making all reasonable allowances for lower production costs. If the reduced yields were evenly distributed over all the farms of the west, or if the wheat prices were not still influenced by the surplus, now rapidly decreasing, of the record world crop of 1928, the largest crop of wheat ever harvested western Canada would not have been so seriously affected."

"As it is, however, there are a considerable number of farmers in many parts of western Canada who are enjoying a reasonable amount of prosperity, from crops only slightly below, or, in a few cases, above, the average yield. At the same time, there are farmers in the same districts who from no fault of their own, had a poor crop or no crop at all. Low harvesting costs don't mean very much to those who have no crop to harvest."

"I have deliberately emphasized the unfavorable side of the situation," Mr. McPhail admits, "because there has been a tendency in some quarters to lay blame for the slowing down of business on the rate at which the crop of 1929 is moving to the market instead of recognizing how much grain we have to market."

## Airplane Tragedy

Two Cameras 'Plane Collide In Mid-Air, With Loss Of Ten Lives  
Santa Monica, Cal.—Ten persons including Kenneth Hawks, motion picture director, and Max Gold, assistant director and former national handball champion, were killed when two motion picture camera planes collided head-on in mid-air and plunged into the ocean near here.

The cabin ships, loaded with cameras and motion picture equipment, in addition to five persons each crashed into the 3,000 feet altitude, three miles off the coast. They wedged together in a tangled mass, burst into flames and plunged to the surface, sinking immediately. Three of the passengers were thrown clear as the interlocked planes struck the water. The other seven were carried beneath the surface.

Three bodies later broke free from the wreckage on the sea bottom and rose, to be picked up by patrol boats. The doors had been removed from the plane cabins to give camera-men free play, and searchers believed all bodies eventually would appear on the surface.

## Holding Meetings In West

Hon. R. B. Bennett Starts Speaking Tour At Vancouver  
Ottawa.—Dates have been arranged for meetings to be addressed in Saskatchewan by Hon. R. B. Bennett in his western speaking tour this month.

The Conservative leader will speak at Saskatoon on January 20, and at Regina on January 21.

Arrangements are now under way for meetings in Manitoba. Three addresses will be delivered by Mr. Bennett in that province one of which will be in Winnipeg.

The tour opens at Vancouver on January 14. On the following night Mr. Bennett will speak at Victoria and at Kamloops on January 17.

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## A New Year's Tragedy

Seventy Children Perish In Moving Picture Theatre Fire, In Scotland  
Faisley, Scotland.—With 70 of its children dead, 11 fighting for their lives, and 25 others in hospital, this drab factory town faced the New Year with a bitter heart.

Gone was any festivity. Not even a message of sympathy from the King and Queen could help much. There was a promise of three investigations into the recent tragedy, in which so many children came to grief during a fire panic at the Glen Cinema, but this could not put joy in bereft homes.

A movement was started here in London for a relief fund.

Relentless rain beat down all day upon Paisley. It began last night upon the frantic parents sought to enter the mortuary and identify the dead, and the downpour continued through the night, true to Scotland traditions, a little group of men and women gathered to sing "Auld Lang Syne" as the clock struck 12. The voices broke and ended with sobs trailing off in the rain.

It was the tragedy of "door that jammed." The actual cause of the panic is now said to have been the inability of the assistant operator to open a side door when running away with the burning film. Before the door could be opened flames spread through the building and terrified the children screaming for safety.

Prisoners and before found children in the stables, in the orchard pits, everywhere, some in their terror tried to climb the moving picture screen. "The scene on the stairway," says Deputy Firemaster Wilson, "made even seasons firemen shudder. For ten children were packed tightly together in every imaginable position, like a wall of cement bags."

It is considered doubtful if every of the rescued children will ever fully recover from their experience. One little boy was found in a corner with his hands piled about his head. When firemen reached him he was gasping upwards, gesticulating as if trying to push some horror back with his hands. He still thought he was fighting for his life.

## India Nationalist Congress

Serious Split Occurs In Ranks Of Followers At Gathering, At Lahore

Lahore, India.—A serious split arose in the ranks of the all-India Nationalist Congress as the gathering concluded amidst cries of "bandematam" (hail the Motherland).

Under the leadership of Srinivasa Aiyengar and Subash Bose, 30 members of the Congress walked out, and, in a protest meeting, formed a "Democratic" party within the congress.

The minority had demanded representation on the new working committee and when the congress adopted the list as a whole, the disgruntled members walked out, one delegate remarking that the committee could scarcely complain, since the congress had sanctioned such walkouts in the legislative councils.

The dissentient group announced that the work of the congress would be carried on by them in principle.

The majority, led by Mahatma Ghandi, National leader, omitting the names of Srinivasa Aiyengar and Subash Bose, Ghandi, in the congress, had urged the new working committee should include only those who were entirely sympathetic toward the congressional parliament.

In his final address to the congress, President Jawaharlal Nehru precipitated the "hail the motherland" cry from 15,000 throats when he declared that India's independence had already sounded throughout the world, and that Indians beyond the borders of their country are now enabled to hold their heads high.

## Soviets Abolish New Year

Moscow.—Business as usual was the order of the day New Year's Day, which has been consigned to the limbo of "abolished" days together with other holidays and Sundays in the Soviet Union. The New Year's tradition though is too deeply rooted to be wiped out by a legal edit. In thousands of Russ'ian homes the advent of 1930 was hailed amidst merry-making greatly stimulated by the effects of vodka.

## Carload Of Farm Tractors

North Portal, Sask.—A solid train of 85 cars of farm tractors in the C.P.R. yards here attracted considerable attention. The big shipment totalling 140,000 feet of a flat car, was shipped from Chicago, Ill., by the F. W. Oliver Farm Equipment Co., and destined to farm implement agencies in Calgary, Lethbridge and 30 Alberta towns. A second train load will follow the middle of January.

## Changes At Ottawa

Crear Sworn In As Minister Of Railways, And Forke Enters Senate  
Ottawa.—Important announcements made by Premier Mackenzie King, are as follows: Hon. T. A. Crear has been sworn in as Minister of Railways and Canals; Hon. Robert Forke has been appointed to the senate; he resigns as Minister of Immigration and Colonization, and as member for Brandon in the House of Commons.

Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, has been appointed acting minister of immigration. He will also be acting minister of agriculture during the illness of Hon. W. R. Mothwell.

There will be a further readjustment of portfolios so as to maintain the position of Quebec in this regard. This will be made without undue delay.

Arrangements are under way for changes in the civil service so as to bring scattered services of the same character together. No definite announcement can be made as to just what is intended at present.

## TRANS-CANADA AIR MAIL SERVICE MAY SOON COME

Ottawa.—Canada is rolling her map northward. The cry to go West is giving way to the call of the north. And, in pushing back the frontier with untold millions in riches of the Canadian northland as the magnet—the Dominion's air mail service is playing a leading role. More than 1,000,000 miles have been traversed in the closing year of 1929 by Canada's air mail planes. Nearly another million miles in air mail service will be added for 1930 at the opening on February 1, of the Winnipeg-Regina-Calgary air mail route which extends from Saskatoon, North Battledore and Edmonton.

To 300 miles within the Arctic circle, Canada's mail planes travel. Oil, gold, silver, copper, nickel and fur-trapping centres in Ontario, Quebec and Western Canada today are being served by these aerial mail carriers, masking more habitable the bleak wood districts with little or no road. In Ontario's northland, the Red Lake and Narrows Lake mining centres have their regular deliveries of mail.

Today, twelve air mail routes are in operation: Montreal-Detroit; Montreal-Albany; Toronto-Buffalo; Montreal-Ottawa; Montreal—Rimouski; Quebec—Seven Islands; Quebec—Anticosti; Moncton-Magdalene Islands; Leamington-Pele Islands; Narrows Lake-Sloux Lookout; Lae Du Bonnet-Bissette; Fort McMurray-Aklavik; Montreal—Saint John, and Oskelangé-Chibougamau.

Two great connecting links which would complete a trans-Canada air-mail service are proposed for the near future: one from Montreal to the west, the other from Calgary, Lethbridge or Edmonton to Vancouver. Early in the new year Canadian air officials contemplate making a survey to determine the best route from Alberta to the Pacific Coast. This lends color to the probability that parliament may be asked at the next session to make the necessary appropriations for these new routes. An air mail service of one business day and two nights from Montreal to Vancouver is the goal.

In his final address to the congress, President Jawaharlal Nehru precipitated the "hail the motherland" cry from 15,000 throats when he declared that India's independence had already sounded throughout the world, and that Indians beyond the borders of their country are now enabled to hold their heads high.

Commander Byrd's Antarctic station is 9,373 miles from New York city.

## YOUNGEST SON OF KING AND QUEEN

Charles Stewart, Minister of Railways, and Forke Enters Senate  
Ottawa.—Important announcements made by Premier Mackenzie King, are as follows: Hon. T. A. Crear has been sworn in as Minister of Railways and Canals; Hon. Robert Forke has been appointed to the senate; he resigns as Minister of Immigration and Colonization, and as member for Brandon in the House of Commons.

Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, has been appointed acting minister of immigration. He will also be acting minister of agriculture during the illness of Hon. W. R. Mothwell.

There will be a further readjustment of portfolios so as to maintain the position of Quebec in this regard. This will be made without undue delay.

Arrangements are under way for changes in the civil service so as to bring scattered services of the same character together. No definite announcement can be made as to just what is intended at present.

Princes George, youngest son of the King and Queen, who received on December 20, congratulations from many friends upon his 27th birthday, which marks an encouraging improvement in his health. He recently had been suffering from an indisposition.

## Will Discuss Many Subjects

Private Members Of Federal Parliament To Take Active Part In Next Session

Ottawa.—Parliament at its coming session faces an unprecedented variety of subjects for discussion. The speech from the throne, the tariff, the budget and estimates—all milestones in the progress of each session of Canadian parliaments—will be debated. But in the millions of words which are uttered between the time parliament convenes and the prorogation, private members purpose the approaching session to play a considerable and diversified part in discussions.

Nationalization of the supply of radium; increased subsidies to the maritime provinces; establishment of chairs of international peace and interdenominational scholarships in Canadian universities; continuation of Dominion assistance to technical education and to highways; Dominion grants for provincial highway departments; waterway by treble lock; Lawrence waterway by treble lock; Canadian and United States' curriculum of assistance to immigrants; proposal that estimates be considered by special standing committees before submission to the House of Commons; and interim credits for agriculture—all these are scheduled for discussion on the floor of the House of Commons at the session to open in February.

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The review points out that industrial activity, measured by exports, was at a record high level in the year just closed. Industrial employment was at a generally higher level than in 1928; construction contracts were at a higher peak than ever before; the aggregate value of cheques passed through chartered banks was the highest in the history of Canada; a new high record of money was invested by the public in life insurance policies and production in basic industries such as iron and steel. Newsprint, coal and coke, mining, automobile and electric energy all showed substantial increase over previous years.

The minister announces further that while department of trade and commerce has already made much to supply business chances for Canadian manufacturers and producers to export their wares, namely, a trade commissioners' service, further extensions in the direction are being planned for the immediate future.

## Cannot Purchase Seed Oats

Department Of Agriculture In Saskatchewan Reaches Limit Of Authority

Saskatoon.—The Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture has reached the limit of its authority to purchase seed oats, says a letter received by the United Farmers of Canada from the local crop at Regina.

"If, however," says the letter, "any of your members wish to submit their subsequent purchases, they should submit a full sample to the office of the field crops branch and at the same time send a sample to the Dominion Seed Branch, at Saskatoon for a germination test.

Sixteen Executed Last Year

Ottawa.—According to official figures just made public, 16 people were executed in Canada last year. In Spain, four in Ontario, three in Saskatchewan, one in Alberta, and one in British Columbia.

POSTPONED HONEYMOON



Graham Langley, mechanic of the leading MacAlpine rescue plane, is one man who kept his bride-to-be waiting and got away with it. The wedding had to be postponed twice while the groom searched the frozen North for the lost adventurers. He is shown with his bride, the former Irene Kanchington of Winnipeg, about to board the special train from Montreal en route to England by the Canadian Pacific Liner, "Duchess of Richmond."

## The Canadian Conscience

Dominion Exchequer In Receipt Of Money From Anonymous Senders

Ottawa, Ont.—The Canadian conscience is improving. The year 1929 will mark payment into the Dominion exchequer of more than \$500 in conscience money. Two dollars is the usual amount gnawing at the conscience of the sender.

From east, west, north and south, with only the post office stamp indicating the place origin, envelopes containing "conscience money" have been reaching the department of finance. The sender leaves little or no chance of his identity being disclosed. Government officials never seek to find out.

Bills are usually wrapped in blank paper. Seldom, if ever, is the nature of the indebtedness revealed by the sender. But, occasionally, a terse note with the words customs on smuggled goods or income tax accompanies the money.

New Year's, Christmas and Easter are the greatest "revenue" periods for Canada from this source.

## GENERAL SMUTS HAS FAITH IN THE WORK OF LEAGUE

Ottawa.—The League of Nations and its astounding development along lines never contemplated by those who sponsored it for its establishment furnishes the basis of an interview accorded by General Jan Christian Smuts, former prime minister of South Africa, to newspapermen who called upon him at the home of Sir Robert Borden, war-time premier of Canada. The distinguished South African reached Ottawa on his first visit to Canada, and will be Sir Robert's guest during his stay.

Soldier, statesman and scholar, General Smuts is one of the romantic figures of empire history. In arms against Great Britain thirty years ago, he is now one of the bulwarks of British authority and one of the strongest protagonists of the British connection. General Smuts reached Ottawa on his first visit to Canada, and will be Sir Robert's guest during his stay.

"How do you square your conscience with that attitude and the general desire of South Africa to boost its tobacco products?" asked one of the reporters.

"My conscience doesn't trouble me on that score," replied General Smuts.

During the late war General Smuts served with Van Deventer in German South Africa and was later transferred to East Africa to command the British in succession to General Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien. This campaign was successfully prosecuted. Regarding the phase of his distinguished career, he declared that his greatest success in London with his old enemy and friend, General Von Lettow-Vorbeck, who had commanded the German forces in East Africa, was one of the greatest things he had ever experienced.

"I believe a reunion of that character will do a great deal of good, for it will indicate more than anything else the changed mentality of the world."

"I am here under the auspices of the League of Nations primarily," said General Smuts, in answer to another question. "But I welcomed the opportunity to visit Canada and the United States for the reason that I have not been on this continent before."

He will visit Montreal, Toronto, New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Washington and Cincinnati.

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Japan is opposed to the abolition of submarines, the minister declared.

In the first place, submarines are a type of warship necessary for the defence of a nation having an inferior strength.

Japan is willing to abandon the submarine programme for buying more submarines than at present, but deems it necessary to retain practically the same strength as she actually possesses.

## SOVIET PAPER ATTACKS LABOR GOVERNMENT

London, England.—A section of the London press expressed agitation over the publication of a new document lately forwarded of a purported message from the headquarters of the communist international, in Russia, denouncing the Labor Government and urging on the proletariat a class struggle.

The Evening News goes so far as to say that a diplomatic crisis of first importance is threatened "because of the breaking of the pledge" made by the Russian ambassador, in London, that no revolutionary propaganda would be sent to this country."

The News says it understands that Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald is preparing personally to meet the foreign office officials studying the message and a copy of the paper containing it and that the question of any action to be taken will be the subject of conferences in the next few days.

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## Japan Wants Adequate Navy

But Is Not Seeking Equal Party With U.S. and Britain

Ottawa.—The views of the Japanese Government on the disarmament conference, to be held this month, were expressed by Hon. I. M. Tokugawa, Japanese minister to Canada, in an interview here. In a succinct manner, Mr. Tokugawa, who recently returned to Washington, outlined the views of his government in the following manner:

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## Finds New Territory

Australian Explorer Discovers Unknown Land In Antarctic

Montevideo, Uruguay.—The government radio service has announced receipt of a message saying that Sir Hubert Wilkins, Australian explorer, has discovered territories previously unknown in his last flight over the southern ocean last night. Details of the new lands were not given.

The message came from the steamer "Majestic" which carried the explorer to Deception Island, which he uses as his base.





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## The Singing Fool

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### SYNOPSIS

Al Stone, singing waiter at Blackie Joe's New York night club, married Polly, a blonde singer, not knowing her to be a girl friend of a local little cigarette girl. After Al wins fame as a composer of popular songs, Polly elopes with John Perry, taking her and Junior, her baby, for France, Al, broken by the loss of his son, becomes a derrick, but is saved by Grace Farrel, who remains with him. Junior is taken to Al, but Perry deserts her. Junior is taken ill. In New York Al scores a success as a singer and saves his wife and son, marry Grace. The couple arrive at the theater one night happy because of the news of Molly's divorce.

### CHAPTER XXIX.

They were both radiant as they approached the doorkeeper.

"How are you, Shakespeare?" called Al, clapping the old man on the back. Then, quick as a wink, he matched the chewed stub from the doorkeeper's mouth and replaced it with a four bit perfect. The oldtimer smiled delightedly and saluted as Al and Grace went in into the theatre.

A score of chorus girls, hoovers and singers, who went on early, were already standing near the wings, gossiping and laughing. They turned to Al and Grace.

"Pretty soft for the little old black-face comedian, strolling in here at show time, and doesn't have to go on until nine," said a vivacious soubrette, smiling gaily.

"Soft is right," agreed Al. "You don't think I'd be in this revue if there was any hard work to do?"

The doorkeeper, Al, and the others knew that Al was really the hardest worker in the show. He linked his arm familiarly in that of the little

singer, pretending to glance apprehensively toward Grace.

"Let's step out tonight—you and me!" he remarked, sotto voce, to the soubrette. "Supper—wine—music—etc. What do you say?"

Again he looked toward Grace, but she only stuck out her tongue at him ever so slightly and refused to become jealous.

Meanwhile, the soubrette had drawn away in mock hauteur. "Sir, I don't know you. Besides I've an engagement after the show with four big oil-and-money men from the south."

"That's three too many," said Al lightly and slipping his arm around Grace, he stroked on toward his dressing room.

He was in good humor tonight, not only because he realized that he and Grace were soon to be married, but because he had at last persuaded Grace to leave Blackie Joe's. She had hung onto that job of hers at Blackie's like grim death, refusing to let it go until recently.

"I'd feel lost without it, Al," she had said when he first broached the subject of her leaving. "Besides, I feel protected by Blackie Joe's. He's looked after me and protected me."

"Yes," said Al, "but you've been taking bad ways for four years. That's long enough. Blackie will hate to lose you, but he'll be good about it. I want you to have some rest."

So Al had his way; just today Grace had said good-bye to Blackie's and given up her tiny room in the Waverley Place lodging house to move uptown to more palatial quarters.

As they headed through the backstage corridors a page hurried up to Al.

"A lady wants you on the phone, Mr. Stone."

"A lady," repeated Al. "What is this strange power I have over women? Was it a blonde or a brunette voice?"

The page boy grinned while Al went off to answer the phone. Grace strolled slowly after him, wondering what was calling. She saw him pick up the receiver and hear him say casually.

"Yes, this is Mr. Stone speaking, who this?"

Then Grace saw a pained, almost bitter expression pass across his features. He was pale and he stopped his hand over the transmitter and turned to whisper.

"It's Molly."

A stab of pain shot through Grace. Had her fear that Molly would turn up to make trouble come true? Al drew back from the phone as if he would hang up; then he reconsidered.

"What is it?" he asked coldly.

Grace saw him nod, then he hung up the receiver and turned to her again.

"Molly says to come to the Good Samaritan Hospital as fast as I can."

"Why?"

"I didn't say. Simply that, and hung up. I wonder if it's a trick of some kind?"

Grace's eyes narrowed; her heart was throbbing hard and fast. But she forced herself to say:

"You ought to go, Al."

"I suppose so. Yet every time Molly has come into my life it has meant misery."

Yes, but—Grace paused.

You think there's anything the matter with your boy?"

The soubrette stopped Al in action. "It'll go! And you wait here, Grace. I'll be right back." He ran toward the stage door. When Grace reached it he was already in his car and the motor was whirring. She saw him shoot down the alley and out toward the lights of Broadway.

It was the theatre hour—the streets were loaded with traffic. It seemed to Al that he would never be able to force his way through the jam. But finally he did work out of the theatrical section and went speedily along a quiet street, then out the Avenue.

How did Molly happen to be in America so quickly after her divorce? why had she called him; was Junior ill? These questions and a swarm of other queries raced across Al's mind. He sat at the wheel, with grim face and fixed, tortured eyes. Sheer force of habit took him through the traffic unscathed.

He reached just as he had seen her last on that momentous night in the park, poly-poly and the picture of health. It seemed to himself impossible that anything tragic could have happened to his beloved child. Surely Grace was wrong.

But Grace was right. In tiny bed at the Good Samaritan lay Junior, his eyes listless, his face wasted and as white as the sheets, except for a tiny crimson spot on each cheek.

Heroused himself, finally, and whispered to Molly, who hovered over him.

"Is Daddy coming? I want my Daddy?"

Molly had been standing by Junior's bedside, rigid with fear. As she spoke she leaned over quickly and touched his tiny, thin fingers.

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MONEY TO LOAN

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## Local and General

Send in your local items to the  
Chronicle

Mr. and Mrs. Fox left on Tues-  
day for a trip to the coast.

Miss Marjorie Young returned  
from Bowden on Thursday.

D. K. Pike was a business visitor  
in Carstairs on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Crocker was a visitor in  
Calgary over the weekend.

James Derrick of Alderside spent  
a few days in town last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Pike.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton High of Cal-  
gary were guests of Mr. and Mrs.  
M. H. Pike on Friday.

The Women's Institute will hold  
their regular monthly meeting on  
January 16 at the home of Mrs. W.  
McRory. Everybody cordially invited.

Mrs. Wm. Laut was hostess to  
the bridge club on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. R. Nichol has been con-  
fined to her bed for the past week  
through illness.

Miss C. Robertson of the local  
school staff returned from Calgary  
on Sunday afternoon.

Don't forget the dance in the  
U. F. A. hall on Friday night of  
this week.

Wm. Laut has received a carload  
of the new McCormick Deneen  
tractors.

Mrs. D. McFadyen was in Cal-  
gary on Wednesday to visit her  
daughter who is a patient at the  
General Hospital.

Miss Anna Robertson who spent  
the holiday at home returned to  
Edmonton on Sunday to continue  
her studies at the University.

Mrs. Mel Reid is a patient at  
the Holy Cross Hospital at Cal-  
gary, where she underwent an op-  
eration for goitre.

There was very little for the vil-  
lage fathers to do at the council  
meeting on Monday night, and after  
the usual routine called it a day.

Miss Frances McFadden under-  
went an operation for appendicitis in the  
General Hospital at Calgary on  
Tuesday and is doing as well as  
can be expected.

Mrs. A. Shearer and son have  
returned to their home in Calgary  
after spending several days at the  
guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jar-  
man.

The many friends of Tom Tredaway  
will be glad to know that he  
is able to be around again after  
being confined to his home for the  
past ten days with an attack of  
bronchitis.

Gibson Bros. & Wallace, local  
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Dr. J. M. Warren, dentist will  
be at the Oliver Hotel, Crossfield  
on Saturday, January 11th and at  
Hotel Carstairs on Monday, Jan 13th.

All those requiring dental  
work will please note these dates.

A hog was stolen from the feed  
yard of Tredaway & Springsteen  
on Monday night. The hog had  
been killed in the yard and dragged  
across the lot to a truck or car  
on the highway which was headed  
south. This makes the fourth por-  
ker Tredaway & Springsteen have  
lost since Dec. 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Nichol were  
host and hostess at a large French-  
Canadian dinner party at their  
home on New Year's day. Guests  
were laid for 16 guests.

The table was artistically decorated,  
miniature aeroplanes were used as place cards and a large  
bouquet of American beauty  
roses and tall tapers in the centre.

The guests: Mr. and Mrs. J.  
Champion, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ever-  
ton, Miss Annie Townsend, Miss  
Dorothy Livingston, Miss Helen  
Wiles, Miss Alma Champion, Mr.  
F. Sparling, Mr. Hazen Orp, Mr.  
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spring burned their straw stacks are  
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## Police Court News

Before Magistrate Ivor Lewis,  
Crossfield on Tuesday afternoon,  
J. Stevenson, from West of Air-  
drie, was charged with an infra-  
ction of the game act on the infor-  
mation of P. Wigle, game guard-  
ian. Stevenson pleaded not guilty;  
but his Worship, after hearing the  
evidence, in which the talk con-  
sisted of a dead duck, a shot gun  
and a radio, found the defendant  
guilty and fined him \$10.00 and  
costs of the court, \$2.90 all told.

Two other charges against Mr.  
Stevenson were dismissed. His  
Worship stating that he consid-  
ered one conviction for the offence  
sufficient. Constable Jarman pre-  
sented.

The same day, Leonard Estes,  
Al. Rice and Amos Perse of Car-  
stairs appeared before Magistrate  
Lewis at Crossfield, on the infor-  
mation of A. Pais, town Con-  
stable of Carstairs, on charges of  
drunk and disorderly. All plead-  
ed not guilty. After hearing the  
evidence, his worship found Al.  
Rice and Leonard Estes, guilty  
and each were fined \$5.00 and  
costs. Amos Perse saw the charge  
against him dismissed. Mr. Jones,  
lawyer of Calgary appeared for  
the defence of the three.

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Annie M. Havens

Mrs. Annie M. Havens died at  
Long Beach, Calif. on Dec. 23rd.  
Mrs. Havens was born at Gold  
Hill, Colo. U. S. A. on Jan. 1st,

1862. Coming to Alberta from  
Colorado with her husband, Chas.  
A. Havens who predeceased her  
years ago, and family in 1903,  
settled in Beaver Dam district,  
where she lived until 1912, at  
which time, she and the four  
younger children moved to Red  
Deer; in 1922 she and her daughter  
Lola moved to Long Beach, Calif.,  
where she has resided since. It was her custom  
to visit her sons in this district  
most every summer, and the past  
summer was spent with them; in  
the fall her health failed and her  
son Ray and wife accompanied  
her to California, in hopes the  
lower altitude would revive her,  
but she only lived five days after  
arriving there. Interment was in  
Long Beach cemetery.

Mrs. Havens was known as a  
good neighbor and a kind and  
loving mother. She leaves to  
mourn her loss, six sons and two  
daughters, two brothers and two  
sisters.

Crossfield Juniors Won  
From Airdrie 4 Goals to 2

The local junior hockey team  
easily defeated the juniors from  
Airdrie 4 goals to 2, on Saturday  
afternoon. Despite the extreme  
cold the boys stepped out and  
played a good brand of hockey.  
Ernie Sharp scoring three goals,  
and "Big Boy" Collins one for  
Crossfield.

The teams:

Airdrie—Goal, Ole Kolstad, de-  
fense, George Olorenshaw and Bob  
McLeod; forwards, Norman Mc-  
Cracken, Herman Kolstad, Lin-  
coln Van Sickie.

Crossfield—Goal, Ralph Mc-  
Fadyen, defense, Kenny Gilchrist,  
Gordon Johnson; forwards, Fred  
Collins, Ernie Sharp, Herbert  
Bliss; subs, Bert Metheral and  
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Crossfield Loses to Airdrie  
In Interesting Hockey Game

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The third period was fast, as it  
had stopped snowing and the ice  
was fast. The visitors were the  
first to score when Davis and  
Kline worked through on a com-  
bination rush, and the former  
scoring. Shortly after this Jack  
Hall scored on a solo rush, to tie  
the score. Both teams were play-  
ing three men up and Augus Rob-  
ertson broke up a three-man rush  
and went down the right boards

to score the winning goal. The  
locals sent up four men who gave  
McDowell a busy time of it, but  
the final whistle found them on  
the short end of a 3 to 2 score.

Airdrie—J. McDowell, C. Plet-  
cher, A. Robertson, Duke Davis,  
T. Borbridge, H. Soper; subs, K.  
Van Sickle, K. Borridge, Bus  
Kline, N. Fletcher.

Crossfield—DeMers, goal; def-  
ender, Bob Smart, Jack Boucock;  
forwards, A. Stevens, Jack Hall,  
Doc Evans; subs, H. McFadyen,  
Bill Murdoch.

Referee—J. S. Anderson.